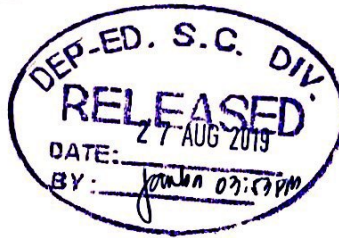




August 27, 2019

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**  
NO. 239, s. 2019



**SEAMEO INNOTECH'S GURO 21 & TEACH EXCELS FLEXIBLE LEARNING PROGRAM FOR DEPED CARAGA SUBMISSION OF PARTICIPANTS**

**TO: SGOD and CID Chiefs**  
**Public Schools District Supervisors**  
**Education Program Supervisors**  
**Elementary and Secondary School Heads**  
**This Division**

1. The Southeast Asian Ministries of Education Regional Center for Educational Innovation and Technology (SEAMEO INNOTECH) is inviting teachers and school heads to participate in the **Gearing Up Responsible and Outstanding Teachers in Southeast Asia for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (GURO 21)** and the **Teaching and Learning Excellence in School Leadership for Southeast Asia (TEACHeXCELS)**, respectively, for the succeeding batches in DepEd Caraga Region.
2. For details on the abovementioned programs, please see attached Regional Memorandum No. 450, s. 2019.
3. Education Program Supervisors, Public School District Supervisors and School Heads are enjoined to nominate deserving and qualified school heads and teachers.
4. Wide dissemination of this memorandum is desired.
5. For information and compliance.

*[Signature]*  
**FLORENCE E. ALMADEN, CESE**  
QIC-Schools Division Superintendent

Enclosure: Regional Memorandum No. 450, s. 2019  
References:

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index  
under the following subjects:

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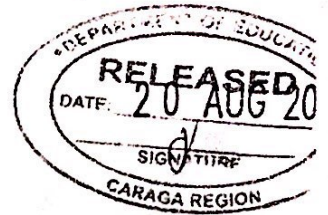
**SEAMEO INNOTECH**

**GURO 21**

**TEACHeXCELS**



August 19, 2019



REGIONAL MEMORANDUM  
No. 450 s. 2019

**SEAMEO INNOTECH's GURO 21 & TEACHeXCELS  
FLEXIBLE LEARNING PROGRAM FOR DEPED CARAGA  
SUBMISSION OF PARTICIPANTS**

To: **SCHOOLS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENTS**  
Division Coordinators for SEAMEO INNOTECH  
This Region

1. The Southeast Asian Ministries of Education Organization Regional Center for Educational Innovation and Technology (SEAMEO INNOTECH) is once again calling for teachers and school heads to participate for their **Gearing Up Responsible and Outstanding Teachers In Southeast Asia for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (GURO21)** and the **Teaching and Learning Excellence in School Leadership for Southeast Asia (TEACHeXCELS)**, respectively, for the succeeding batches in DepEd Caraga Region.

2. **GURO21** is a menu of flexible learning courses (through online learning) aims to enhance the teachers' teaching and learning competency and addresses the teachers' needs in relation to the technological advances and changing educational trends of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. GURO21 courses are developed based on validated Competency Framework for Southeast Asia Teachers of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.

3. The **GURO21** is open to all basic education teachers who are **computer literate** with a **minimum of three-years** teaching experience.

4. **TEACHeXCELS** was developed based on a validated Competency-Framework for the Southeast Asian School Heads. The course aims to enhance School Heads' competencies that will enable them to lead their school towards teaching and learning excellence.

5. The **TEACHeXCELS** is open to all school heads who are **computer literate** with a **minimum of one-year** experience as teacher-in-charge.

6. The participation fees of the courses are the following:

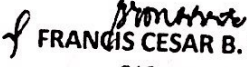
Course	Course Fee (in PhP)	Operational and other Expenses (in PhP)	TOTAL (in PhP)	Funding Source
GURO21	6,000.00	2,000.00	8,000.00	Local Funds
TEACHeXCELS	10,000.00	2,000.00	12,000.00	Local Funds



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8. The course completers shall receive an **International Certificate of Competence** from SEAMEO INNOTECH. They shall also be eligible to be granted the **equivalent credits** in their graduate degree courses when they enroll to the TEI-HEI partners of SEAMEO INNOTECH. They shall also be granted **Continuing Professional Development (CPD) units** by the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC) as the courses are accredited by PRC.
9. The Course Fee together with Operational and Other Expenses shall be charged against local funds (School/Division MOOE) and/or other sources of funds i.e. PTA funds, SEF funds, schools' other funds, and other sources of funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing guidelines and policies.
10. The Schools Division Office (SDOs) coordinators for SEAMEO INNOTECH are requested to fill-up the attached nomination form duly signed by the Schools Division Superintendent and send to [glgavrama@gmail.com](mailto:glgavrama@gmail.com) not later than August 28, 2019.
11. SEAMEO INNOTECH opens its horizon to accommodate possible Flexible Learning Tutors (FLT) for the GURO21 and TEACHeXCELS Course. Schools Division Superintendents and Chiefs of the Regional Office and Schools Division Offices are invited to become a Flexible Learning Tutor. Interested parties may contact Dr. Gilbert L. Gayrama of the regional office. A Capacity Building shall be conducted by SEAMEO INNOTECH.
12. Immediate and widest dissemination of this Memorandum is highly desired.

  
FRANCIS CESAR B. BRINGAS, CESO V  
OIC – Regional Director

Incl.: As stated  
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